

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 96-249-C - ORDER NO. 97-864
OCTOBER 13, 1997

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IN RE: Request of BellSouth Public Communications,) ORDER
Inc. for Waiver of COCOT Guidelines.) GRANTING
) REQUEST

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of BellSouth Public Communications, Inc. (BellSouth) for a waiver of our COCOT guidelines to allow the blocking of incoming calls at the payphone at the Chimney Apartments in Taylorsville, S.C. The number of the payphone is (864)-292-9996. BellSouth notes that the location provider is seeking to ensure the safety and security of employees and patrons at the location, and to deter loitering and potential criminal activity. The request was co-signed by the Sheriff of Greenville County, Johnny Mack Brown.

We have considered the matter, and we believe that BellSouth has stated good cause for waiver of the guidelines to allow the blocking of incoming calls at the payphone described above. We therefore grant the request for waiver.


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This Order shall remain in full force and effect until
further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Deputy, Executive Director
(SEAL)